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16 Comes now the applicant, Sean J. Whitmarsh, and pursuant to the guidelines
17 promulgated by the Patent and Trademark Office published in Section 609 of MPEP and
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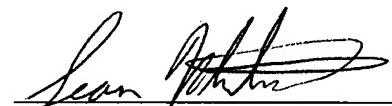
1 invention, he was not aware of prior art relating to his invention and did not perform a
2 patent novelty search for the purpose of discovering such prior art.
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